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MEMBER INTERNATIONAL NEWS

THOUSANDS VIEW OPENING OF FAIR

Crazed Austin Negro Kills 2 and Wounds 2

(By International News Service)
AUSTIN, Oct. 9.—Dealing sudden death and leaving a wake of mourning in his path a crazed negro by the name of Alexander ran amuck in South Austin today, and shot and killed two negro women. A white man named Joe Blum was fatally wounded as well as Chief of Police J. N. Littlepage. Littlepage heard of the negro's march of terror and rushed to the scene only to receive fatal wounds from the deadly aim of the enraged black. The negro was armed with a shotgun.
Officers formed a hurried posse, sped to the scene of the shooting and after a search found and killed the negro.

Littlepage, who was 48 years old, has been chief of police here for two years.

DESPONDENT WIFE LEAPS TO DEATH

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—Despondent over the death of her millionaire husband two weeks ago, Mrs. Arthur E. Stillwell, age 63, leaped to death from the twelfth story of a fashionable apartment house today. The body landed on the roof of an adjoining four-story building. They had been married for 49 years.

A sealed farewell note written by Mrs. Stillwell was turned over to the police.

WANTS DATA ON ARREST OF NEWS CORRESPONDENT

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—The French Foreign Office has been requested by the State Department to submit through the American ambassador, in Paris, full information on the detention of Harold J. T. Horan, Universal Service Correspondent, by the Paris police. Horan was arrested by the Paris Secret Service men in connection with the "leak" whereby the text of the secret memorandum of instructions sent to the French embassy at Washington in connection with the Anglo-French naval accord were published.

Texas Cotton Crop Placed at 5,050,000

AUSTIN, Oct. 9.—S. H. Schultz, federal crop statistician, estimated the Texas cotton crop at 5,050,000 bales as of October 1, in a statement released today.



Be sure to get your numbers when you buy your tickets to the grandstand.

Free fireworks every night this week immediately following the grandstand show.

Football game tomorrow at 4 o'clock between Ballinger and Coleman. The first interscholastic game of the season.

Tomorrow at 1 o'clock the Boys' and Girls' Club parade will form on Tenth street by the Ballinger Lumber company yards.

See yourself as others see you in the First National Bank mirrors in the Merchants' Exhibit Hall.

Poison Liquor Kills Thirty-Two

(By International News Service)
NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—The death toll from alleged poison liquor today stood at 32 lives claimed since Saturday, while the police and city officials enlisted government aid to stop the flow of the deadly stuff. More than 100 persons were suffering from alcoholic poisoning and have been treated in hospitals in the last 24 hours.

2 Bus Accidents Happen Near City

A big Studebaker bus on the Red Ball line running between Ballinger and Abilene was smashed up in Winters Monday afternoon when a team of mules hooked to a wagon ran away and smashed into the side of the bus. Seven passengers were in the bus at the time of the smash-up but outside of a little fright no one was the worse when it was over. The bus was damaged badly and all the glass on one entire side was broken from the windows.

A West Texas Coach Tuesday five miles west of Rowena, went into a ditch, broke down a wire fence and ran into a cotton field before it was stopped by the driver. A bolt in the steering device became loose in some way and the driver could not control the car. It headed to the left and crossed the ditch on that side of the road and was in a field before the brakes could stop it. Six passengers were in the bus.

Hope Abandoned To Save Hickman

(By International News Service)
WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—All hope of saving William Edward Hickman, who is sentenced to die on October 19 for the murder of Marion Parker in Los Angeles, was abandoned today by Attorney Geo. K. Walsh of Kansas City, after five justices of the Supreme Court had refused to entertain a petition for an appeal on behalf of Hickman. Walsh said that he would not seek further relief from the court.

Mrs. W. F. Gibson and little son, W. F. Jr., of Santa Anna are guests of Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Cheatham.

Two Men Drowned Near San Angelo

SAN ANGELO, Oct. 9.—The lifeless bodies of J. W. Neves and Geo. R. Maddux, San Angelo contractors, were recovered from the Concho river, 5 miles east of here Monday morning.

Watches of both men had stopped at 8 o'clock, leading rescuers to believe that they had gone down in their light fishing skiff shortly after entering the water Saturday night. Failure to return home Sunday night started the investigation.

Weldon Humphreys arrived from Brownwood this week and will operate the machines at the Queen Theatre. Mr. Humphreys is an experienced operator and comes to make Ballinger his home.

Introducing a Few REAL Fans



How slowly the clock must have crept for these fans who got in line 24 hours before the first game of World Series was scheduled to start in Yankee Stadium. No. 1 in the queue is Arthur Jones, of Brooklyn, who brought along a supply of sandwiches to carry him through the night.

65,000 to 70,000 Pounds Meats to be Consumed

There is ordinarily about 2,000 pounds of meat received in Ballinger three times a week, but this week started off with a meat car containing 14,000 pounds in one single shipment and it is presumed that this will be duplicated for two other days during the week. Perhaps breaking any previous record held by Ballinger, for the consumption of meat products, as well as that of all other eatables, the packers seem to be favored by Ballinger merchants for quite a lot of business. While two or three local markets buy all their meats both fresh and cured from the packing houses the great majority have slaughter houses and facilities for handling all fresh meats themselves.

Coupled with the regular demand which is unusually heavy at this time, is the enormous number of transients and visitors who it is thought, will equal the regular population. If each day of the fair is as successful as opening day, it will doubtless become necessary for the merchants to increase their orders for supplies of every nature.

Fruitless Search For Lost Girls

(By International News Service)
PORT ARTHUR, Oct. 9.—A continued fruitless search today marked the efforts of officers to find any trace of Leona Roy, 13, and Evelyn Cannon, 14, both junior high school girls who have been missing from their homes since Friday. Two men were arrested yesterday and admitted taking the girls as far as Beaumont. A woman at Beaumont is under surveillance in connection with the case.

Have you read the want ads?

Navy Dirigible On Return Trip

(By International News Service)
FORT WORTH, Oct. 9.—The giant navy dirigible, Los Angeles, took off this morning for a return trip to Lakehurst, N. J., after having moored here for the night. The ship is manned by 30 men and 11 officers.

By making your own calculations it will be seen that three shipments of 14,000 pounds each will mean the consumption of 42,000 pounds of packing house products, besides the regular home killed meat which it is thought would be twice as much as that shipped in which would make it appear that we would be consuming something like 65,000 or 70,000 pounds of meats this week.

Dodger Chastain of Paint Rock, but a native son of Ballinger, is this week doing special police duty in connection with the City of Ballinger's efforts to regulate the traffic and otherwise preserve order.

An advertised article never becomes shop-worn.

1 Fight, 4 Drunks In Justice Court

The peace of this community has been disturbed more for the first two days of this week than in some time. On Monday there were 23 pleas of guilty in justice court for gaming, fighting and drunkenness.

Tuesday morning the court had before it one fight case and four drunks. Thus establishing a record perhaps, for two days work. While the community as a whole is regretful that this must come to light the officers are elated over the fact that they are catching a part of the law violators.

One of the parties charged with drunkenness will possibly also be bound over to the grand jury for action a little later in the month.

Thousands of people from all sections of Runnels county jammed the downtown streets long before time announced for the initial parade, Tuesday, to witness the opening of the ninth annual Runnels County Fair. The procession led by Sheriff R. E. McWilliams, Secretary-Manager J. D. Motley and President E. E. King mounted on horses, got under way at 1:00 sharp and passed through Hutchings Avenue, doubled down Railroad Avenue to Eighth Street and proceeded to Fair Park.

In the parade were the fair, school, city and county officials in cars furnished by the various automobile dealers of the city. Wild animals on trucks gave the kiddies a thrill and added much merriment to the affair. Perhaps the feature of the parade was an old surrey motored with an auto engine which was heralded as a "new car"—with four wheels and no brakes.

Girl Attacked And Tied to Tree

(By International News Service)
CENTERVILLE, Md., Oct. 9.—Found tied to a tree in a secluded cemetery near here today, Motta Shriver, 16, told authorities that she had been attacked by a man. Enraged citizens are searching the countryside for the fugitive.

FARMERS AND MERCHANTS BANK IS ILLUMINATED

The Farmers and Merchants Bank building will be very beautifully decorated at night with the entire building outlined in colored lights. This beautifying is in addition to the usual decorations and at night it will be very attractive and can be seen from a long distance.

40 Indictments Against Carnes

(By International News Service)
ATLANTA, Oct. 9.—Solicitor General John A. Boykin indicated that as many as 40 indictments may be asked against Clinton S. Carnes, the absconding treasurer of the Southern Baptist Home Mission Board.

FEDERAL CLERK DEFIES UKASE

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—The Civil Service Commission's order banning political activity by government clerks was defied today by L. H. Wittner, employe of the navy department. Wittner challenged the order as unconstitutional and said he would seek public hearing before the commission, and at the same time announced his support of Gov. Alfred E. Smith.

Immediately following the parade the crowd followed to the fair grounds where the eighth annual Runnels County Fair was all ready for inspection. If the crowd is to judge the exhibition this year, it is the best fair ever held in this county. Praise could be heard on all sides Tuesday afternoon as the throngs inspected the different departments which were all overflowing with what is considered the best exhibits that have ever before been seen here.

Especially in the Agricultural Building are the exhibits bigger and better. The Community Exhibits would do credit to any fair and every space is taken on the entire west side of the building. The school displays are all filled with exhibits which will take much time to inspect closely. These exhibits should make every citizen of Runnels county proud of the work which is being done in the institutions of learning in this county. Miles, Winters and Ballinger are competing in the Independent School class and each has a real bid for recognition.

Individual farm exhibits are of a high class and some keen competition in this department will be seen when the final judging takes place. The Ladies' Building is completely filled and many hours can be spent in inspecting the work which has been done by the women of the county in the home. This building houses many departments and each department, according to the superintendent in charge, is far superior to any previous fair. The flower show is particularly beautiful and should be inspected early before the cut flowers wilt. Judging in this department will be done this afternoon while everything is fresh.

Everything was in readiness in front of the grandstand for the opening of the hippodrome acts Tuesday morning and a capacity crowd greeted the performers at the first show. Tonight the com-

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THEY say that if a girl is beautiful, it isn't so necessary that she be a good cook! But too often, Mother Nature gives the curly hair and the baby dimples to somebody else's daughter. And then, if you are a wise mother, you teach your daughter other ways of being attractive—among which is the old, old one, of being perfectly at home over a kitchen stove.

Little Mrs. Percival had always wondered, in her gentle way, why Marion, her only child, had seemed to inherit all the late Mr. Percival's traits, and none of her mother's. She had been a rough-and-tumble baby; she had been a tom-boy little girl. And now, at twenty, she was affecting a sleek coiffure, wearing horn-rimmed glasses and threatening to study law!

Mrs. Percival had seen to it, however, that Marion, in spite of her masculine looks, could cook a dinner fit for a king. And when Marion finally tumbled head over heels in love with a young man who seemed a bit afraid to fall in love with her, gentle little Mrs. Percival armed herself for battle, and sallied forth.

How the Kitchen Club Helped

The Kitchen Club was called into consultation, without being told the underlying reason for the sudden activity. Mrs. Percival's kitchen was made a most delightful, most feminine place (description of it in Nancy's notebook).

Marion's young man was invited to dinner. Mrs. Percival came down with a convenient headache, and Marion had to solve the problem of entertaining him while she cooked dinner. It wound up with his going to the kitchen and discovering there a flushed and flustered, but very housewifely Marion, that he was not at all afraid of.

You know the rest—"Here Comes the Bride," and all that. And the Kitchen Club never knew that it had been called upon to play Cupid!

LEAVES FROM NANCY'S KITCHEN CLUB NOTEBOOK

We made Mrs. Percival's kitchen as sweet and feminine as she is! Walls, silver-gray; floor, blue and white linoleum; oil stove, blue, silver-gray and white; breakfast nook (built-in), pale blue trimmed with pink flowers—transfer patterns—window-box painted

light rose color, and filled with vines and pink begonias. Refrigerator, table, shelves, etc., white trimmed with blue. Curtains, white with little blue ruffles!



"This young man's bachelor days are numbered."
Mrs. Percival served us a simply divine dessert, made of big hunks of angel cake, covered with hot chocolate sauce filled with nuts, and topped with ice cream! Here are the recipes:



Angel Cake

Whites of 12 eggs
1 1/2 cups granulated sugar (measured after sifting)
1 cup and 1 tablespoon pastry flour
1 teaspoon vanilla
Pinch salt
1 1/2 teaspoons cream of tartar
Sift sugar five times. Set aside.
Sift flour, cream of tartar and salt together five times. Set aside. Beat whites to a froth, not quite as stiff as for meringue. Sift in sugar, folding it into eggs as lightly as possible. Sift in flour. This also must be done with as light a handling and as much speed as possible. Turn into un-buttered pan and cook in slow oven for fifty-five minutes. Put pan of water in oven with it and keep it there for forty minutes. Do not open the oven door for twenty minutes after cake starts to bake. At the end of forty minutes take pan of water out. At the end of fifty-five minutes take out cake and turn it upside on plate to cool in pan.

Chocolate Sauce
2 cups white sugar
2 tablespoons cocoa
1/2 cup water.
Cook to thick syrup. Add nuts and serve hot over cake.

Proper Heat of Oil Stove for Angel Cake

Keep flames low, so that they show blue. (For faster cooking turn them up 1 1/2 inches.) A really good oil stove will burn with a steady flame, and will need no watching.



MOVIES

Time Adds Glory To "The Covered Wagon"

James Cruze's Paramount production, "The Covered Wagon," is still entitled to a place at the head of the list. There has never been such a picture as this one which made a triumphant return to the Palace Theatre last night.

The production is undeniably one of the most magnificent screen presentations ever shown here. If you saw it on its original visit, you can well afford to see it again but if you missed it at that time, you can't afford to miss it again! The long line of excellent players is headed by J. Warren Kerrigan and Lois Wilson. The latter will be remembered for her fine work in "The Vanishing American."

As Will Banion, leader of a wagon train, Kerrigan falls in love with Molly Wingate (Miss Wilson) whom he meets when his wagons join those headed by her father (Charles Ogle). Alan Hale, playing the role of Sam Woodhull, a scoundrel, is engaged to Lois, and bitter rivalry arises between him and Banion.

Throughout the story, Woodhull is set on "getting" Banion. After a series of thrilling events, he encounters Banion in California where the latter has made a fortune in the gold fields. Woodhull is about to shoot from ambush when Jackson, an old scout, sees Woodhull and kills him. Banion is informed that he has been cleared of certain charges and—but see this fine picture! The passage of time has only served to add to its glory!

Scenic Beauty Features Drama Of Modern Life

Scenic beauty plays a large part in Fox Films' sensational drama of modern society, "Come To My House," starring Olive Borden, with Antonio Moreno in the masculine lead, which opened yesterday at the Queen Theatre for a showing of two days.

Catalina Island, the most picturesque beauty spot on the Pacific, was used for the exterior settings. A large replica of the famous Larchmont yacht club was built near the St. Catherine Hotel and is one of the largest and most colorful sets ever made.

Many thrilling water scenes were taken on the bay at the island and one of the most spectacular shots is where Miss Borden drives a speed boat cutting through the water at a high rate of speed.

Louie DeMerville of San Angelo is here this week on a visit to his brother and mother.

New English Made for Use On Air Fields

By Gilmore Millen

(International News Service Staff Correspondent)

LOS ANGELES, Calif., Oct. 9.—An entirely new form of the English language is spoken daily in and about the hangars and runways it was revealed at the recent national air races at Mines Field.

For instance when a pilot tells you to "hoik 'em up" in taking off from a small field, he means to raise the plane clear of obstacles that may be in its path.

Then he says a ship is "tooting along" and he means the same thing an automobile driver would mean if he said his car was running along fine.

When he "pancakes" a place, or "mushes her in" he means that he is making it lose forward speed in landing to keep from hitting the ground on its "nose"—its front end.

When he means to say that he hasn't flown in a week, he announces that he hasn't "cracked a throttle" in that time. And when he wants to say that a pilot is a Goebel and a Lindbergh of a Kingsford-Smith, he drags out the good old word "hot" to express efficiency, daring and steel nerve.

New Expressions

From Ensign Frank E. Williams, attached to the naval aviation base at Long Beach, now and formerly in the army aviation corps, some of the new expressions here named were obtained. And to represent commercial aviation, others were taken from the vocabulary of Bob Touitt, who flew the Kendall ship to the races from Pennsylvania.

Sharp turns in the air are called "fantaills." A "dead stick landing" is one made with the propeller stopped. A "bail out" is navy slang for jumping out of a plane to make a parachute jump.

"Squat" is the term in vogue for a slow "semi-stall" landing. "Stalling" is holding the plane's nose up until flying speed is lost and the plane drops out of control until speed is regained.

"Banking" is lowering one wing while turning, similar to the position taken by a race car on a banked race track. "Prop" is a simple translation for propeller, and "skidding" means the same thing it does in ordinary English, except the deed is done on the invisible alleys of the air. Instead of rain-wet asphalt streets.

Well Known Terms

A "nose-over" is the army term for the unhappy (for the flier)

event of landing and turning the plane over on its back. A "stable plane" is one that is steady and tends to fly without the constant movement of the controls—so that the flier presumably may day-dream or meditate, as he sails over the much advertised silver lining every cloud is alleged to possess.

The greatly misused verb "zooming" actually means pulling the plane upwards sharply after a long dive toward the ground. And "blind flying," of course, means flying in the rain or fog with no chance of seeing up, down or to the side, making it necessary to guide the craft by instruments.

BANKS INCREASING USE OF AIR FACILITIES FOR WALL STREET COMMERCE

(By International News Service)

CHICAGO, Oct. 9.—Banks rank among the largest air transport users and they report many varied uses for airplane service, chief of which is the transportation of approximately \$24,000,000 worth of negotiable paper and interest bearing securities to Wall Street each day, a survey by the American Air Transport Association has revealed. Interest for the one to three days saved by air mail and express runs into millions annually.

Banks send checks, drafts, notes, for collection and credit, advices of payment, important and rush letters, shipping documents and securities. Insurance companies are now rushing death claim checks to beneficiaries by air mail and they also use the new form for applications, releases, policy contracts and proofs of loss, policies to distant offices, policy loans and cash values, legal papers, farm mortgages, reinsurance claims and

for other purposes. Valuable and registered packages and mail are carried in special compartments and shipments are guarded at each airport.

Ranger is to have a vitaphone, the instrument which makes talking movies possible. Half of the cost was covered by the purchase of tickets, and the rest by local business men. This is the first

town in the Oil Belt to have a vitaphone.



Last Day



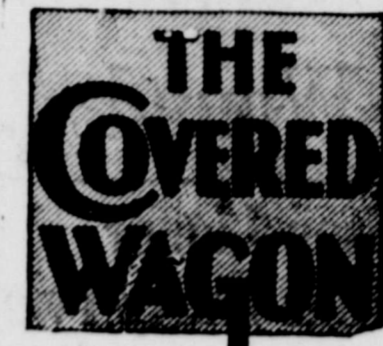
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We had announced that the lucky lady in naming our shop would be named next Monday, but in order that we may be able to decide earlier and use our name for advertising purposes at the Runnels County Fair, have decided that we will announce our name and the winner of the "Silk Dress Made Free" on Thursday, and no further suggestions will be taken after Thursday noon, the 11th.

If you have not yet visited our shop, you have denied yourself a real privilege, as most ladies who have visited our shop are loud in their praise of our showing of

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Wm. Hoppe's Dark Cornishes Winners

Wm. Hoppe, of Hatchel, breeder of Dark Cornish chickens, has won nearly 100 ribbons on his flock and is still showing them and promises to go stronger than ever when the real chicken show season begins after January 1.

Mr. Hoppe maintains a chicken ranch near Hatchel and has hundreds of pure bred Dark Cornish Games. He showed his birds at San Angelo recently during the All-West Texas Exposition and won 30 ribbons and the best display in the show.

At Abilene he was awarded 31 ribbons and this is said to have been the largest show in Texas, exclusive of the present State Fair at Dallas.

At Eden last week, Mr. Hoppe was awarded 26 ribbons and the champion patri-colored cockerel of the show.

Mr. Hoppe is this week showing a big flock of his birds at the Runnels County Fair and expects to take away enough honors to run his number of winnings quite a bit above the 100 mark in ribbons.

Being a Runnels county breeder and winning so many honors is only in keeping with other Runnels county records in other lines of endeavor, our county exhibits winning first at San Angelo and second at Abilene this year.

THANKS FAIR ASSOCIATION

In behalf of the old Confederate Veterans, their wives and widows, we thank the Runnels County Fair Association for granting us season tickets to the fair ground and other privileges.

We appreciate the thoughtfulness of the fair management in remembering us at this time.

The granting of these tickets to us, proves that this generation has not forgotten the sacrifices made by us in the long ago. We thank and appreciate this remembrance of us.

S. D. WILLIAMS.

PLUMBING CONTRACT LET TO WINTERS FIRM FRIDAY

The contract was let Friday morning for the gas plumbing in the courthouse. This being a county job, it was open to bidders from anywhere and the contract was let to the lowest bidder, this being the firm of Street & Evans of Winters.

The work is to be completed within two weeks and has already been started, the plumbers getting an early start Saturday morning.

District court convenes here on Oct. 22, and the commissioners' court was very anxious to have the work completed by that time.

The court met in called session Friday and transacted all pressing business, and the regular meeting, which was to have been held next week, will not convene.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hazlett of Brownwood were here Sunday visiting with friends. Mr. Hazlett was formerly employed at the Weeks Drug store.



Acidity

The common cause of digestive difficulties is excess acid. Soda cannot alter this condition, and it burns the stomach. Something that will neutralize the acid, is the sensible thing to take. That is why physicians tell the public to use Phillips' Milk of Magnesia.

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GRAPHIC ARTS EXPOSITION SHOWS THE MODERNISTIC TREND IN PRINTING

(By International News Service)

BOSTON, Oct. 9.—A new modernistic trend in commercial printing was shown in the fifth annual exhibition of the American Institute of Graphic Arts on exposition at the Boston Chamber of Commerce.

Nearly one hundred of the leading designers, printers and typographers in the United States contributed to the exhibition. Examples of new type faces and new type design were included in the display. This exhibit has brought to Boston the best examples of commercial printing in the United States during the last year.

In commenting upon the exhibit, L. B. Siegfried, associate editor of "Advertisin gand Selling," said:

"The full-fledged emergence of modernism is the significant thing about the exhibit. The conservatives are doing their job quite as well as they ever had done it, but they had to give ground. The modernists, who even last year had hardly won more than a foothold in these exhibitions, have come through 1928 to equal representation."

"Widespread new use of color has characterized the progress of commercial printing during the past year. The bold use of vivid shades as a part of design is one of the most outstanding elements in the modern style."

This, Mr. Siegfried explained, has been greatly augmented by the development of new inks which faithfully reproduce all the various tints and shades of water colors and open a new scope for the different processes of printed illustrations.

OLDEST RURAL MAILMAN IN NEW ENGLAND QUITS WITH 39 YEARS' RECORD

(By International News Service)

PITTSFIELD, N. H., Oct. 9.—Uncle Sam's first rural mail carrier in New England and probably the oldest active deliverer of country mail in the country is to retire, after 39 years of active service.

George B. Johnson, who is 85 years of age, still hearty and in good health, stated that he would not think of leaving the service, were it not for the government requirement that at the age of 65 all mail carriers go on the pension list.

The new sanitarium in Fredericksburg opened October 1. The sanitarium has equipment for taking X-Ray pictures and fluoroscope, and will save the physicians the great inconvenience of sending patients to neighbor towns for treatment.



Nothing Gets By the Youngsters These Days

—they are cruelly critical, and unfortunate is the child who is shunned by his playmates because he is lacking in some respect which they think is important.

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BENOIT ITEMS

The farmers are taking advantage of the pretty weather and are gathering the cotton crop fast; with a few more bright days a large percent of the cotton will be out. Most of the Benoitites are looking forward for a great week, taking in the Runnels County Fair and other amusements to be found on the grounds.

Mmes. W. T. Hill, Osear Cox and Mabel Elliott motored to Winters Sunday to the county singing convention. A good singing was reported and a large attendance and a royal welcome by the Winters people.

Most of the children of Mrs. L. R. Brookshire gathered at the old homestead Sunday, now occupied by Claud Brookshire and family, in memory of their mother's birthday, which was celebrated each year at this time. Those present were Mrs. Dreutha Wilkerson, of Winters, a sister, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gibson of Norton, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sims of Eagle Branch, Bill Brookshire, of Talpa, Mr. and Mrs. August Herring, of Talpa, and families, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Clayton, Mrs. Lela Clayton and Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Clayton. There are four other children who could not be present.

Fousou Gresset and folks came in Thursday for a short stay.

Milton Gibson and sister, Miss Dorothy, visited in Brownwood Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. J. S. Reese and Mrs. Julius Lange were shopping in Ballinger Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gibson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Davis of Hatchel Sunday.

Grandpa and Grandma Cottrell who had been visiting at Amherst,

came in last week to spend a few days with Mrs. W. H. Stagner and family.

"REPORTER."

CHICAGO STARTED BURNING 57 YEARS AGO TODAY

D. C. Underwood, Ballinger's youngest newsboy, was about his duties Tuesday, being all pep and vigor as usual, and very enthusiastic over the opening of the Runnels County Fair, and remarked to a representative of this paper that today 57 years ago was a very eventful day in the history of America—in that the Chicago fire started on the 9th day of October and burned unceasingly for more than a week. This was by far the most destructive fire ever known in America and its indelible impression on the minds of the men and women living in that day is still fresh in their minds.

Mr. Underwood is indeed a historian and a man of a wonderful memory, and is, perhaps, the only man in Ballinger who could have readily remembered the exact date of the disastrous fire.

FLORIDA'S FRUIT CROP BEGINS MOVING NORTH

(By International News Service)

MIAMI, Fla., Oct. 9.—Dade county's bumper crop of grapefruit began its movement north with the shipment of four carloads of 720 crates each, bound for New York. The best crop in recent years is due to a plentiful rainfall through the spring and summer.

Within the next few weeks growers will begin to harvest early oranges, most of the Navel and Parson Brown varieties which ripen early.

Another crop which has reached a new high mark for commercial shipment is the avocado, known through the north as the alligator pear. The avocado will touch its seasonal peak in the middle of October.

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TRAFFIC RULES

We have been asked to produce certain rules and regulations pertaining to traffic and for the benefit of all drivers of automobiles, cite the following:

In the first place the law plainly prescribes that two headlights and a tail light shall be properly burning after 7 p. m.

While the state speed laws permit you to travel at the rate of 35 miles per hour over the highways, and 20 miles per hour in towns and cities and 12 miles per hour while passing public schools, while the latter is not a state law, that is traveling at 12 miles per hour while passing schools, it would seem that anyone in the world would, for the safety of the children, comply with this rule.

When a person is traveling in a certain direction and is fixing to make a right turn he should point his index finger straight up at the left side of his car, and if he is going to make a left turn he should point his index finger straight out and to the left of his car, and if he is going to stop he should point his finger straight down on the left side of his car.

If the above rules were universally practiced and if each driver of a motor driven vehicle were compelled to take an examination before being granted the privilege of driving a car the minimum of accidents would be much smaller.

For the safety of our loved ones let's start giving these signals and anyone who fails to do so is liable to prosecution anyway.

Some disastrous accidents have only been averted by the sheershest luck and pluck of some drivers and it is only a matter of time until we will have to record some horrible catastrophe from this cause, unless we take the proper precautions. Let's have a sane fair week, observe the laws, both state and city, do your part and save a life.

MOVING TO COLEMAN

W. P. Martin, photographer, who has been located here for several years, and who still retains a connection with the studio here, has, with his family, left for Coleman, where they will make their home. Mr. Martin is an excellent artist in his line and will, without doubt, enjoy a splendid business in the Coleman county capital.

Engineers are at work in Hamlin looking for a new water site. The water supply of Hamlin is sufficient at the present time, but prior to the spring rains the lake was low.

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J. McGregor Noel Penn
Secy. H. P.

"THERE GOES NEW YORK!"

By Bressler



Thousands View--

(Continued from Page 1)

pany will present 11 acts for the evening bill and these will be followed by one of the biggest fireworks displays that will be shot during the fair. The association has spent more money this year than ever before to give the patrons of the grandstand a real show and in the selection of the acts which are here they believe that there is something to please everyone.

The Bill H. Hames shows are furnishing their part of the entertainment and the midway was crowded all afternoon and will be wide open and brilliantly lighted tonight. The Hames shows this year has a host of rides featuring the merry-mix-up, the caterpillar, hobby horse, ferris wheel, the whip, crazy house, and a baby ferris wheel for the kiddies.

The Ballinger Band was in the stand this afternoon with a concert preceding the grandstand acts and will be heard in another concert tonight at 7:30.

WEDNESDAY'S PROGRAM

Boys' and Girls' Clubs Day
8 a. m.—All exhibits and amusements open.
1 p. m.—Parade, Boys' Girls' Men's and Women's Agricultural clubs of Runnels county.
2:30 p. m.—Hippodrome shows

NERVOUS HEADACHE

Kentuckian Tells How Taking Black-Draught Relieved His Pains and How Well He Feels Now.

Waynesburg, Ky.—How a few doses of Theoford's Black-Draught brought relief to a man who had been suffering from frequent spells of severe headache, is told below in the statement of Mr. Charles F. Todd, of Estesburg, near this place. "I was suffering with nervous headaches. About once a week I would have these headaches, and have to quit work, and go to bed for about twenty-four hours. I would have pains in my neck, and right behind my right ear. "A merchant at Estesburg saw me one day when I was suffering, and told me to try taking Black-Draught, which I did. "I took a package home that night, and took a few doses. It relieved me. From that time on, I would take Black-Draught as soon as I felt like I was going to have one of those headaches—and they wouldn't come on. "Every few weeks, I take three or four doses of Black-Draught, and I feel so well, and do my work, and don't lose any more time with headaches. "I haven't had a headache in six months." Costs only one cent a dose. Get a package today. NC-159



in front of grandstand followed by free acts.

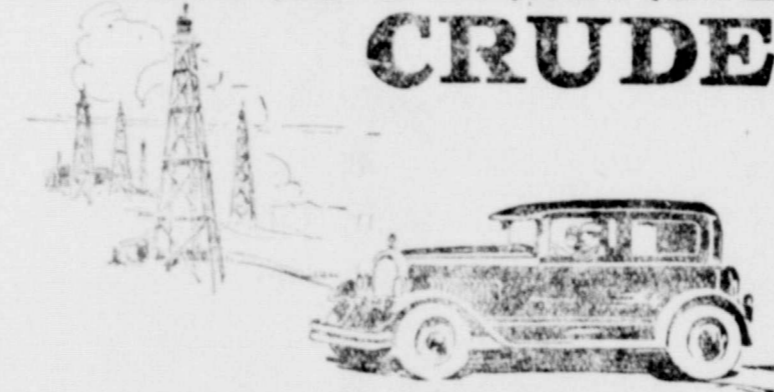
4 p. m.—Football game, Coleman vs. Ballinger.
7:30 p. m.—Hippodrome shows and free fireworks.

The quickest way to keep abreast with the times is to read the ads.

A pumpkin weighing 55 pounds raised by Lon Martin, a Crosbyton farmer, was brought into town and exhibited. The pumpkin was unusual in size for this section and will be taken to some of the fall fairs.

Have you read the want ads?

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Chick Department Filled to Overflow

The poultry department at the Runnels County Fair was filled to overflowing Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock with additional birds arriving for entry by the carload. A crew of carpenters were set to work Tuesday morning early building coops and birds were being kept in temporary pens until additional room could be had. The carpenters in charge of the work expected to have sufficient pens built to house all the show birds by early Wednesday morning.

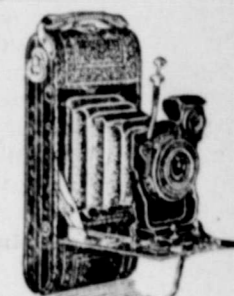
The fair association built new coops for this year's show and built more than has ever been used before, but the entering of birds from all sections of West Texas was contemplated by the management and the overflow was entirely unexpected.

In the turkey department there has usually been about 12 birds each year on display. Early Tuesday morning there were 30 turkeys already in coops and 30 more waiting for the new coops.

Practically all the chicken coops were filled Monday and Tuesday

morning there were cars full and trucks full that could not be checked in on account of the lack of housing facilities.

The poultry show will be one of the biggest and best ever shown in West Texas and all visitors to the fair are urged to visit this department and view the wonderful display.



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**TULL RELATIVES
'DIVIDE ESTATE
WITH EDNA DAY**

(By International News Service)
SALISBURY, Md., Oct. 9.—Edna Davy, 15, elevated from the humble daughter of a farmer to heiress of a \$1,000,000 estate by the pen of a New York millionaire, is not to receive the entire estate.

Mrs. Louise Tull Baker, Baltimore, and Robert H. Jones, Fairmount, Md., sister and half-brother respectively of Dr. Edward E. Tull, succeeded in having the will broken.

The contestants and Miss Davy compromised. The sister and half-brother are to receive \$75,000 and the girl will receive the remainder of the estate.

Edna won the infatuation of Dr. Tull, a retired New York surgeon, by her love for the woods and the Wicomico river. Tull also admired Edna's sister, Ruth, 16. His will provided that she receive a monthly allowance of \$300.

At Mother's Grave

The younger daughter of Romeo Davy, of Manokin, Md., first met Dr. Tull when her mother died. She first saw the surgeon through tears when her mother was being lowered into a grave.

The plight of the two girls affected the New Yorker. His estate adjoined the small farm of Davy and he offered to share his luxuries with Edna and Ruth. Their father consented. A governess was provided for the children and once a week their father visited them.

It was during this period that Dr. Tull began to become attached to Edna. She was fond of sports, hunting in the woods and on the Wicomico, and accompanied Tull on all his sporting expeditions. Ruth was of a more studious mind. She preferred a book.

The surgeon died April 20, 1927, and named Edna as his sole beneficiary. The fortune included a 2300 acre farm, a costly mansion, about 1500 head of cattle, an elaborately furnished hunting lodge, and miles and miles of fields overlooking the picturesque Wicomico river.

Then the dragons and witches befell the little Cinderella. Tull's two relatives, not mentioned in the will, protested to the court. They alleged fraud, undue influence and lack of sound mind on the part of Tull.

Doctor Was Eccentric

The contestants recited some of the eccentricities that marked the latter years of the surgeon. A few weeks before he died he was told of the death of a close friend. This gave him a premonition of his own death, relatives believe. He ordered lumber and constructed himself a coffin.

Charles C. Nicholas, his foreman, declared Tull directed him to bury

him when death came in a swamp on the estate adjacent to a grave of his pet collie. He told Nicholas he wanted to be lowered into the grave promptly at 11 o'clock a. m. the day following his death and that no ceremony should be held.

**Babe Gets 3
Homers Today**

(By International News Service)

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 9.—Breaking all world series records for a single game, Babe Ruth, the bambino of all baseball history, today knocked three home runs, Lou Gehrig, his twin mate in the game got one and Durst, a substitute center fielder, got one to win the fourth straight game of the series.

The Yankees also broke another world's record in winning eight straight world series games in succession as they beat the Pittsburgh Pirates last year four straight games also.

The final score today was 7 to 3 in favor of the Yankees, and five of the runs were the result of four base hits.

The pitchers were Hoyt and Sheredell.

**X-RAY BRAIN OF POET
TO ANSWER CRITICS**

(By International News Service)

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 8.—To establish his poetic merit, the Turkish poet Kiazim Bey, of Konia, has had his brain X-rayed at Stamboul University. The radiologist agreed that it showed exceptional weight and striking convolutions.

The poet has sent photographs of the medical report to all his critics.

If you have something to sell or trade, try a classified ad in The Daily Ledger.

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Pain in neck, shoulders, arms, hips, limbs or it may shift about some times causing swelling. Young's Stomach Powder recommended for rheumatism by physicians. Druggist return money if it fails. J. Y. Pearce Drug Co. d&w.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Runnels County, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon H. L. Griswold, whose residence, to the Plaintiff is unknown, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your coun-

ty, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the County Court of Runnels County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Ballinger, on the 1st Monday in November A. D. 1928 the same being the 5th day of November A. D. 1928, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 7th day of July A. D. 1928 in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1510, wherein Ballinger Cotton Oil Company, Inc., is Plaintiff, and H. L. Griswold is Defendant and said petition alleging that on or about the 6th day of April, 1928, the defendant, National Drilling Company, alleged to be a private corporation organized under the laws of Texas, in which defendant H. L. Griswold is and was a large stockholder and officer, was indebted to plaintiff in the sum of \$319.80 for oil sold and delivered to the National Drilling Company by plaintiff, and that on said date defendant H. L. Griswold for the purpose of securing the plaintiff and its indebtedness against the National Drilling Company, and in consideration of the plaintiff forbearance to bring suit, made, executed and delivered plaintiff a chattel mortgage lien on the following described personal property, then and now situated in Runnels County, Texas, to-wit: 2700 feet of 2 inch iron pipe located on the A. C. Willingham farm about eight miles north-east of the town of Ballinger, Texas; that said indebtedness is now past due, and the defendants though often requested have wholly failed and refused to pay same, and that said mortgage lien is valid and subsisting and that said

debt and lien are owned by plaintiff, and praying for judgment against the National Drilling Company for its debt and against all of the defendants for foreclosure of its mortgage lien and for order of sale, costs of suit and general relief.

Herein fail not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, W. A. Forgey, Clerk of the County Court, Runnels County, Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court at office in Ballinger, Texas, this 1st day of October A. D. 1928.

W. A. Forgey, Clerk,
County Court, Runnels County.
d-2-9-16-23

**OPERA BY VERDI GIVEN
ITS FIRST PERFORMANCE
AT MANNHEIM THEATRE**

(By International News Service)
MANNHEIM, Oct. 9.—Although Giuseppe Verdi has been dead 27 years, one of his operas will have its first performance in Germany in the Mannheim National Theatre during the coming season. This is "Nebuchadnezzar" (Nabucco).

The season's program also includes the first performances of Egon Wellesz's "The Princess Girnara" and Anski's "Pest."

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Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
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"TEXAS FARMERS IN FINE SHAPE"

By J. A. MOORE

Superintendent of the Agricultural Department of the State Fair of Texas

I am having my twenty-fifth crop and preparing for my thirtieth and in all those years I never saw conditions more favorable throughout Texas than they are today.

In 1926 we harvested one of our best grain crops and better than a five million-bale cotton crop, receiving less than 15 cents for our cotton. In 1927 we had another fairly good grain crop and a four million-bale cotton crop—a million bales short of that of 1926—but we received a million dollars more money for it, and furthermore, the farmers in 1927 harvested their crop at a lower cost than in 1926.

That was the turning point for the Texas farmer; that was when he returned to the days of old. He arose early in the morning and stayed late in the fields, and having learned that lesson he carried it into his farm plans for 1928. While his harvest in corn and practically all other grain crops has been reduced in 1928 the weather conditions, combined with other favorable circumstances has increased his yield in every crop except oats.

He has not only supported himself with ample food and feed for himself, his family and his livestock, but there are more farmers today with a surplus of feed and a surplus of livestock to sell at a profit than there was in 1927. You will find many more farmers today with chickens, hogs, milk cows and beef cattle than you could find a year ago.

With these conditions before us and with a cotton crop that will likely equal the 1927 cotton crop, with a price that will also equal the 1927 price and furthermore a 25 per cent reduction in the cost of producing the crop over that of the year before, the farmer, as I see the situation today, is in the best shape he has been in years if not than ever before in the history of Texas. The men who really worked and who put some thought into their work are admiring the fact that I am making this statement after a trip through all parts of the State; I have met the real farmers and I have found them going ahead on the right road, all wide awake and not only ready to listen to practical suggestions, but able and willing to make them for the benefit of all concerned.

These are the type of men who never miss the educational opportunities offered by the State Fair. They will all be in Dallas some time between October 6 and 21. Some of these will remain for several days, picking up information, examining exhibits, studying the exhibits, relating their experiences to others eager to learn and missing no opportunity to acquire knowledge that will help them in their daily work.

They will spend most of their lives in the agricultural, dairy, poultry and live stock departments and the machinery sections looking over what is new. They will bring their wives and families and every member will learn something that will be of benefit to them. These are the people who get the most good out of the State Fair.

Largest Motor Exhibit Ever Held in Southwest Planned for 1928 State Fair



In line with the general plan to make the 1928 State Fair the greatest and most interesting ever held, the directors in charge of the automobile show have evolved a plan which will result in the most novel and the largest motor exhibit ever held in the Southwest, far exceeding in the number of attractions the annual shows at St. Louis and Kansas City, according to Phil Prather, in charge of that section of the State Fair.

The automotive section in the manufacturers' building has been enlarged to take in all the new features, it is said. There will be eight divisions this year, instead of only two as in years past. These will be the regular display of new 1928 models of passenger cars, continuous demonstrations of cars in action on a track inside the building, a complete exhibition of shop and garage equipment in action, special factory exhibits, general accessory and equipment exhibits, an immense exhibit of motor buses, educational exhibit for motorists and an exhibit of airplanes, including the newest and largest passenger planes.

"The automotive show alone will be well worth anybody's time to come to Dallas to see, regardless of the thousands of other attractions at the State Fair," said Mr. Prather.

The Southwestern Dairy Show, to be held in connection with the State Fair of Texas, Oct. 6 to 21, is to include a permanent feature for the encouragement of the dairying industry in Texas.

The dates of the State Fair of Texas are Oct. 6 to 21, the same relative dates as last year. As usual the fair will open on a Saturday and close two weeks from the following Sunday.

The Minnesota State Fair is the nearest rival of the State Fair of Texas in point of attendance. Last year is admitted 443,000 persons, as against the 1,028,317 who passed through the gates of the Texas fair.

There will be 50 actual performances engaged in the Hippodrome and Circus exhibitions to be given in front of the grandstand at the State Fair of Texas, Oct. 6 to 21, not including the big corps of assistants, electricians, stage hands, etc.

Officials of the State Fair of Texas say that a crowd of over 1,100,000 persons are expected during the fair period this year. The slogan "Be One of the Million" may have to be revised upward.

A famous fireworks firm, said to be the largest in the world, is to supply the day and night exhibitions at the State Fair of Texas, Oct. 6 to 21.

SPEED AIR MAIL ACROSS NATION TO SINGLE DAY

By James L. Kilgallen
(International News Service Staff Correspondent)

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—Trans-continental air mail service is to be speeded up.

The mail is now carried between Hadley Field, N. J., and San Francisco in a little more than 31 hours but the postoffice department believes the time can be reduced to less than 24 hours.

It is planned to save a business day at either end of the route by placing the mail in the terminal postoffices at the beginning of the business day. That is one method of cutting down the time. Another is faster airplanes. And still another factor will be a readjustment in the flying schedule. This latter plan is now being worked out.

116 Miles Per Hour
Under the present arrangement the Western mail arrives at the New York and San Francisco postoffice too late for delivery before the closing of business on the day of arrival.

Special preparations for the new and faster service are being made by the National Air Transport, Inc., which carries the mail between New York and Chicago, and the Boeing Air Transport which flies the mail between Chicago and San Francisco.

Eight Falcon biplanes, having a top cruising speed of 146 miles an hour, have been purchased by the National Air Transport company. This is a speed of some twenty miles an hour faster than the planes now in use. Except for the lack of armament, the Falcons are similar to the modern army attack planes.

The fast "Boeing 95" is now being used more frequently in carrying mail, the Boeing company dividing its mail and passenger service between large passenger transports and the lighter and speedier "95." The "Boeing 85" has a top speed of better than 146 miles an hour and resembles the navy's bombing planes.

Lighted Airway
A lighted airway is being installed by the department of commerce

between Salt Lake City and San Francisco. Heretofore this division of the trans-continental air mail has had to confine its flying to daylight hours.

The faster planes and the lighted airway, those interested in the success of the air mail line believe, will cut down delivery of letters from coast to coast to less than 24 hours.

Another factor making for speed will be the removal of the Eastern air mail terminal from Hadley Field, near New Brunswick, N. J., to the Newark, N. J., municipal airport now nearing completion and scheduled for opening on October 10.

Be wise and advertise

BANKS TO CLOSE FRIDAY

We, the undersigned banks, will close on Friday, October 12, for the purpose of giving our employees and all others concerned an opportunity to attend the fair.

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A fine new Methodist church building has recently been completed in Amherst and services held by the pastor, Rev. Claude Ledger. The edifice is modern in every point of construction and gives the Methodists a place of worship unequalled in the city.

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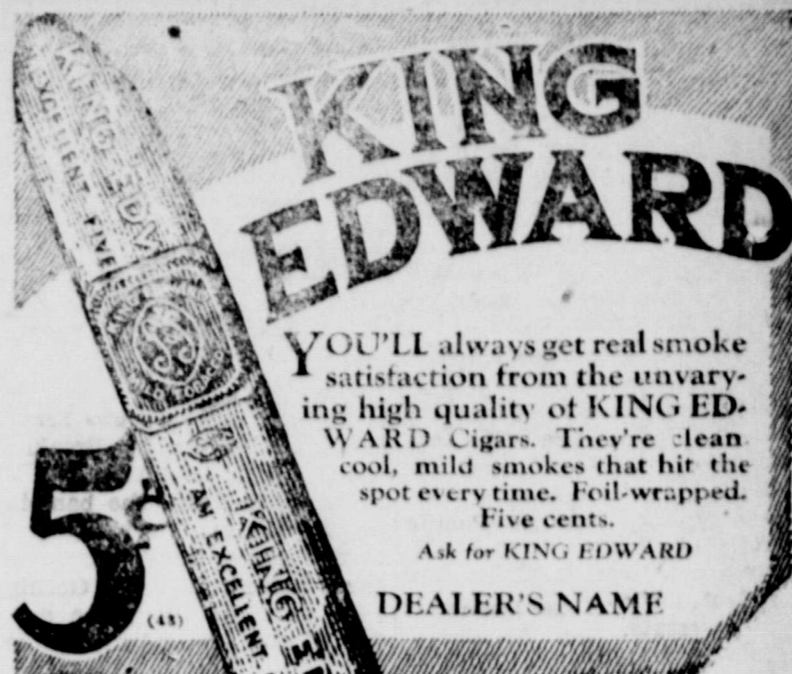
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RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$373,032.42
Overdrafts	413.56
Banking House	25,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	5,932.70
Other Real Estate	6,286.06
Interest Guaranty Fund	2,349.50
Bills of Exchange (Cotton)	8,627.24
Cash and Due from Banks	\$129,073.24
Bankers' Acceptances and Commercial Paper	205,417.72
	334,490.96
	\$756,132.44
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
Surplus and Profits, net	46,983.55
Cashier's Checks	6,370.97
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U. S. MAY OFFER FLYERS BETTER WEATHER NEWS

By Alfred T. Newberry
(International News Service Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—Distribution of continuous forecasts to airports throughout the country on printer telegraph, is being considered by the United States Weather Bureau.

This 24-hour vigil on meteorological conditions that affect flying and the instantaneous transmission of warnings is considered to be necessary to maintain the intensive air mail service. Postmaster General Harry S. New has established.

The government is now experimenting with a model printer service on the Los Angeles-San Francisco air mail route. The service is being financed partly by the Guggenheim Foundation, the Weather Bureau and the Pacific Telephone company.

Printer Telegraphs
The printer telegraph system is identical to that used by International News Service and other press associations to distribute and receive news throughout the nation. The automatic printers operate upon a wire circuit and function similar to a typewriter. For instance a letter of a word is struck in Washington strikes simultaneously at the other end of the circuit say Kansas City, Kans. Upon the receiving machines located in every newspaper office and bureau on the circuit the same thing occurs. High-speed printers of the International News Service transmit sixty words a minute.

On the California route branch sending and receiving printers are established at all airports. Continuous check is kept on visibility, wind direction, wind speed, height of clouds, fog levels and other information so important to the air pilot. These reports are continuously distributed to the airports for the guidance of the flyers.

Making Experiments
The experimental service is being conducted by Maj. Edward H. Bowie, senior meteorologist of the Weather Bureau, in charge of the California office. He returned to Washington to report to his superiors the success of the printer service.

Major Bowie said the twenty-four hour reports, disseminated to the airports the instant they are noted, prevents any possibility of a flyer starting out in fine weather and running into rough weather without warning. During every minute of his flight he knows what to expect ahead.

A printer service to all aviation fields in the country, operated continuously throughout the day and night by the Weather Bureau, is essential before aviation will appeal to the public as entirely reliable and safe, Major Bowie declared.

He stated that since the system was inaugurated in California three air passenger services have been started and none has encountered a single mishap. Confidence that Europeans manifest in air travel is due to similar continuous weather forecasts distributed over certain

sections of the old continent.

Instant Forecasts
Minute and instantaneous forecasts and warnings will reduce to a minimum the number of tragedies caused by the elements. The weather reports will not eliminate mishaps due to defects in airplanes, local aviators said, but they will prevent flyers from entering storm centers when they are not sure their machine can stand the gaff.

The tornado which struck South Dakota, Illinois, Wisconsin and Nebraska recently was given as a startling illustration of the need of continuous printer telegraph weather reports and warnings. If the government maintained such a service warnings of the tornado would have been transmitted to every airport in the nation immediately as it struck that region.

The warning would have been distributed to all mail and commercial pilots, especially those whose route entered or was close to the affected area. Quite a number of mail pilots have been killed by flying into unexpected storms.

CHICAGO FOOTBALL MAN ONLY PLAYER IN U. S. WHO WEARS SPECTACLES

CHICAGO, Oct. 9.—The University of Chicago football eleven, coached by that vet of veterans, Alonzo Stagg, boasts the only player in the country who wears glasses. He is Ben Wattenberg, the fancy passer of the squad.

Wattenberg wears a specially built headgear which fits over his eyes and in which a pair of glasses has been set. The lenses are ground out of celluloid to minimize the danger of injury. Wattenberg is known now to his classmates as the "Masked Marvel." The glasses make a huge difference in the accuracy of his passing. Wattenberg is expected to be a regular with the Maroons.

WASTE OILS FROM AUTOS OFFER CITIES PROBLEM

By Alfred T. Newberry
(International News Service Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—Disposal of automobile crankcase oil is a problem confronting authorities of metropolitan centers.

The oil, mixed with gasoline and other fluid waste of garages, is highly inflammable and is regarded as a menace to life and property. Virtually every garage which has stores of the discarded lubricant is a fire-trap. The refuse is regarded as more dangerous when it finds its way into city sewers. Combined with other underground gases it causes explosion from spontaneous combustion and lighted matches tossed into sewer openings.

District of Columbia officials recognize the hazard used motor fuel presents. They sent questionnaires to various American and European cities to learn the method used to discard the oil. With this information they are trying to perfect a practical plan.

Garage owners in the district are forced to store the old oil in metal

containers and dispose of it the best they might. A quantity still finds its way into the sewers and the sewer division is constantly trying to trace the source of the "contraband."

Experts thought they had solved the problem with a plan that the worthless oil would be effective to oil roads. The monkey-wrench was hurled into this plan with the discovery the oil is too inflammable to be carried and sprinkled from motor tanks. This danger also eliminates it from use in oil-burning plants, local officials say.

Twenty-eight cities in the United States prohibit dumping of discarded oil in sewers and 28 require installation of garage traps. Eleven permit the oil to flow in sewers and 10 do not demand oil traps in garages. Three cities collect oil refuse, 19 have commercial firms gather the waste oil and eight report none of the oil is collected.

As high as 15 cents is being paid in Ballinger for pecans. The pecan crop in Runnels county is the best in several years because of the numerous floods in the creek and river bottoms this year.

SOCIETY MAY NOW TURN TO BALLOON FOR THRILL; DROP PLANE AND AUTO

(By International News Service)

LONDON, Oct. 9.—"Do you balloon?" may be asked soon over a cup of tea among those who are jaded with the thrills of fast motor cars or mere airplanes. Efforts are now being made to revive ballooning in England, and the only obstacle is the want of a convenient gasometer.

Balloons are inflated with ordinary coal gas, and, as this is supplied at household rates and costs twice the pre-war figure, ballooning will be an expensive pleasure. It costs approximately \$100 to inflate a balloon to carry four or five passengers.

The idea is being developed by the Airship Club, which is associated with the Royal Aero Club, a body originally formed for ballooning.

An appeal for additional members has been issued by the Airship Club committee, and it is signed by Griffith Brower, Lord Cuncliffe, Captain L. F. N. Boothby, A. F. de Moleyns, and C. C.

Turner. Recently the Airship Club has acquired three balloons; one of 80,000 cubic feet capacity, one of 60,000 and one of 40,000 cubic feet.

GERMANY'S BIRTH RATE FALLS BELOW LEVEL OF ALL EUROPEAN COUNTRIES

(By International News Service)

BERLIN, Oct. 9.—The rate of births in Germany last year sank to the level of that of France, which has the lowest birth rate in Europe, and still shows a sinking tendency. While the provinces show a steady decline in the number of births, statistics just published for 1926-27 reveal that the rate of death in Berlin and a number of the large industrial centers of Germany was even higher than the birth rate.

The war and the years following have shattered a tradition sacred to the Germany of the Empire—large families.

Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Mohr came in Monday night to visit with Mrs. Mohr's mother, Mrs. Mary B. Sharp and family.



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FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms and bedrooms; also five room house on Eighth street. Mrs. L. C. Alexander, phone 1239. 2-6d

WRECK AVERTED BY TRUCK TURNING OVER IN DITCH

A serious wreck was averted on Eighth street Tuesday about 12:30 o'clock when J. O. Smith, who was driving a truck for his father, J. L. Smith of Norton, turned his heavily loaded truck into a side street just in time to avoid having a collision with a passenger car which turned without giving any signals directly into the path of the truck. Mr. Smith's presence of mind was all that saved a serious accident as the collision was inevitable if he did not swerve to the side street, and upon doing this the truck, heavily loaded with ice, soda water, groceries and other supplies for the general grocery store was overturned in a ditch at the side of the street between the 900 and 1000 block. Mr. Smith was uninjured and after receiving some assistance and repairs proceeded on his return trip to Norton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Denny and children have returned from Brownwood where they have been at the bedside of Mr. Denny's mother. Mrs. Denny is still in a very critical condition.

Mrs. Homer Sykes of San Angelo is here spending the week with her sister, Mrs. C. W. Cheatham.

Have you read the want ads?

Coleman Colts Here Tomorrow

The Ballinger Bear Cats and Coleman Colts will meet at the Runnels County Fair tomorrow afternoon in the first interscholastic game of the season here. The game will be called at 4 o'clock on the athletic field. Admission to the game will be 50 cents at the grandstand gate.

Coach Wright is getting his team in shape for the first game which will have a bearing on the championship race and expects to finish the game with the big end of the score. The Coleman team is a fast aggressive bunch but are a little bit shorter in weight than the Ballinger crew. Coach Wright will likely shift the line some tomorrow to stop the drives which went through the center of the line in last Friday's game with Abilene. Coach Wright stated Tuesday afternoon that the following line-up would probably be in the game tomorrow as a starter against Coleman: Allison, center; Chastain, left guard; Coker, right guard; Lusk, left tackle; Smith, right tackle; Wilson, left end; Robinson right end; Wheeler, quarterback; Parrish, left half; Middleton, fullback; Schuman right half.

A move was on foot Tuesday afternoon to close all the business houses in Ballinger from 3 to 6 o'clock in order to let all clerks attend the football game. Petitions were in the hands of solicitors and were being circulated as The Ledger went to press.

WE SERVE real barbecue at our pit on Eighth street. W. A. Van North. 9-3d-w1*

DEATHS

Mrs. M. B. Webb
Mrs. M. B. Webb, age 45 years, two months, and six days, died at her home at 205 Fifth street Tuesday morning at 1:10 o'clock after a very short illness.

The funeral was held from the family residence Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock with Rev. Alfred Crager in charge. Interment was made following the funeral service at the home, in Evergreen cemetery.

Mrs. Webb is survived by her husband, M. E. Webb, one sister, Mrs. Pink Cobb of Tuscola, two brothers, John and Wesley Reese of Ballinger, her mother, Mrs. Sam Reese of Ballinger, and one son, M. B. Webb, Jr.

Palbearers selected were: Grady Stokes, Clint Penn, Mike Boyd, John Hampton, and George Kerley.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alex McGregor left Monday for Marlin where they will be for some time. Mr. McGregor has been suffering with rheumatism and will take the baths and other treatment at Marlin.

Mrs. Douglass' Sunday school class of the Methodist church will sell home-made cakes, pies and candies Saturday, October 13, at Piggly Wiggly. 8-5td

Be wise and advertise.

COUNT LUCKNER'S SHIP TO BE FLOATING THEATRE

(By International News Service) BREMEN, Oct. 9.—Count Felix von Luckner's four-masted schooner "Vaterland," with which he recently made a long trip which included the United States, has been sold and will be rebuilt as a floating theatre.

Under the name "Ulenpiegel" the ship is to be devoted first to all the classic drama, but also to showing what modern Germany is producing.

NOTICE

My boiler machine and all cleaners have been drained out and are ready for this season.—Mrs. W. E. Harvey. 8-6d-w1

M. H. Boynton left Tuesday morning for Brownwood where he will look after legal business.



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